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From:	Presidency
To:	JHA Counsellors on Financial Instruments
Subject:	Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing, as part of the Integrated Border Management Fund, the instrument for financial support for border management and visa – Preparation of inter-institutional negotiations

With reference to CM 3771/20, delegations will find attached the document prepared by the Presidency and are requested to examine and send written comments on.

Proposal for a Regulation establishing, as part of the Integrated Border Management Fund, the instrument for financial support for border management and visa (BMVI)

As part of the ongoing inter-institutional negotiations, the Presidency would like feedback on all the lines in the table below. Where more specific feedback is required, specific requests are included in the 'comments' field.

Line	Provision	Comment
194, 197, 199	Art. 12	Programmes (involvement of the FRA). The Presidency would like to confirm if COM's drafting suggestions are acceptable.
207, 412	Art. 12, Annex III	Purchase of operating equipment and compliance with EBCG standards. The Presidency would like to discuss these provisions again.
222	Art. 14	The Presidency would like to ask delegations if the reference to " <i>Union added value</i> " could be kept. (For the record, the reference was not added in ISF).
400, 455	Annex II, Annex IV	Enhancement of data quality. The Presidency would like to ask if the addition of " <i>and actions to enhance data quality and the provision of information</i> " could be acceptable in line 400. Same question for EP's amendment in line 455.